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HEMEROCALLIS

This group of plants has increased in popularity by leaps and bounds, since the introduction of many new hybrids of unusual merit.

Today, with the great range in time of bloom that is possible to attain with the wise selection of the right varieties, it is possible to have continuous bloom from mid-May to the last of September. Hybridizers have also made it possible to have a wide range of color, including about all shades of yellow, gold, red, mahogany, pink, brown, with a great variety of markings and shape of flower.

It can be truly said that *Hemerocallis* will grow almost everywhere. They are very tolerant of extremely dry locations, where hardly anything else could survive. They do well in a reasonable amount of shade, and will tolerate quite a moist situation. In short, they are an all-around good perennial.

While a good number will be kept potted as usual at our sales grounds in Detroit, the large variety on this list makes it inadvisable to keep this many varieties in stock there, so in most cases orders will be filled from the nursery as ordered with several days notice. As long as the order will be promptly filled, most orders will be furnished bare root. Our nursery at Ortonville will have them in stock both ways.

All varieties not priced are 50c each.

We hope that you will explore this field and get as much pleasure out of *Hemerocallis* as we have.

Apricot—Delightful fragrant blooms of apricot yellow. 2 ft. Early.

August Pioneer—Chrome yellow with outer half of petals flushed red. 34 in. Late 90c.

Bagdad—So named for its rich combination of colors — clear orange throat, with outer petals coppery red over orange veins and mid zone madder brown. Large 5 inch flowers. Fragrant. Really unusual. 3 ft. July. 75c.

Bay State—Fine, large, clear, smooth yellow flowers of perfect form. 36 in. Early midseason. 75c

Belle of Natchez—Deep golden yellow color. A strong grower and a good multiplier. 30 in. July. 75c

B. H. Farr—An outstanding variety. Extra large, full flower with gracefully recurved petals. Glowing rosy peach, attractive, parallel darker veinings. Throat pale, no eye. General pastel coloring. Good evenings. 3 ft. June to September. \$2.00.

Bicolor—3½ ft. Blooms July and August. Sepals, throat and stripe along midrib of each petal are yellowish orange; petals except throat are pale red, tinged rose. Good evenings. \$1.50 each.

Boutonniere—A profusion of miniature flowers with wide open, overlapping and recurring petals. Sepals clear yellow, petals light rosy peach and apricot with trace of mid strip. Grassy foliage. Long period of fall bloom. Neat, free and graceful. Deciduous. 3 ft. Blooms late August into October. 75c.

Buckeye—Like Mikado, bunch flowered and a month earlier. Profilic in growth and bloom. Good evenings. 3 ft. June. 75c:

Calypso—A clear canary-yellow night bloomer. 40 in. Late mid-season \$1.00

Cinnebar—Fine delicate shade of brownish red, petals and sepals of gold-glistening, throat is cadmium yellow, outer $\frac{1}{2}$ of petals sprinkled with bright, fulvous red. 30 in. Midseason. 75c.

Citrina Hybrids—The strain that we have is a dainty sulphur-yellow. 3 ft. Late midseason. 90c

Dauntless—Large, pale yellow with pastel-blended mid-zone. Wide and overlapping petals. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -5 in. spread. Flowers of fine substance in the pastel class. Exceptionally fragrant. Midseason. 3 ft. \$1.00:

D. D. Wyman—Large flower, good orange. Inside trumper a deeper colored halo. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. July-August.

Dutchess of Windsor—A lily that everyone admires. The base color is cream with a golden tint and just above the throat there is a flush of rose. The form is lovely with broad petals spread wide and open. Vigorous. 24 in. Early. \$1.25.

Flaming Sword—Deep fiery red, not as dark as mahogany with indescribable velvety sheen. Very free flowering, beautiful chrome throat. Good multiplier. \$1.50. each.

Flava—The old, fragrant "Lemon Lily." Clear lemon yellow. Early. 3 ft.

The Gem—Rich golden yellow. Moderate grower. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft. July-August.

George Yeld—Large open flowers six inches across, with wide petals of canary yellow, brushed red; this color intensifying toward the throat, where it becomes deep red, then suddenly terminates with a deep clear yellow star at the throat. 30-36 in. Midseason. \$1.25.

Golconda—Golden yellow trumpet shaped flowers. Dependable bloomer and good propagator. 30 in. July. \$1.00.

Gracilis—A dwarf. Fine grassy-like foliage, bright yellow flower. Early. Good for borders. 18 in. \$1.00:

Gold Dust—2 ft. May and June. Deep yellow flowers, bronze on reverse side.

Gypsy—Brilliant deep orange flowers with slender stems. 3 ft. Early midseason.

Harvest Moon—A luscious apricot blend, the flowers large and rounded, with full, wide petals of extra heavy substance. 35 in. 75c.

Honey Red Head—3 ft. July and August. Brilliant rose-red with bright yellow border. \$2.50.

Hyperion—Second in the 1950 list of the Hemerocallis Society. Large and waxy canary yellow of a luminous shade. Heavily fragrant. 4 ft. July-August. 90c.

Imperator—Large, open star shaped flowers of orange-red with yellow throat and mid-lines. 42-48 in. Late mid-season. 75c.

J. A. Crawford—Rich apricot-yellow shaded light cadmium. Many flowers on 4 ft. stems; at their best about June 25th. Good for light shade.

Kokomo—Lemon yellow. Medium sized flower. Prolific bloomer. 2-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June and July. Good. \$1.00

Kawnso Flora Plena—Orange flushed with red, similar to Fulva, only double. 42 in. Midseason. Tremendous grower. 3 ft. July. 75c.

Leonian Hybrids—Mostly red and maroon shades. 2 to 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June-July. 75c.

Lena Hoover—Dark mahogany red. Large flower, tremendous grower. 3 ft. July. 75c.

Linda—Large flower with crinkled petals, based golden yellow, cinnamon flecked to buff tones with a red eye. All in sharp contrast to the bright and clear yellow sepals. Unusually long 5 week blooming season. 3 ft. July-August. \$1.25.

Luteola Major—Orange yellow. 3 ft. Midseason 75c.

Mabel Fuller—38". One of the finest reds. Velvety cardinal red. Reflexed blooms and wide flowers. \$3.00

Margaret Perry—Brilliant orange-scarlet lined with yellow. 4 ft. Late midseason.

May Sadler—Nearest to red. A really beautiful creation. 2½ ft. June-July. \$1.00.

Middendorfii—Early, yellow orange. Good bloomer and multiplier. 2 to 2½ ft. May-June.

Mikado—The large spot of mahogany red in each petal contrasts sharply with the rich golden yellow in the rest of the flower. Near the top of the list in all *Hemerocallis* selections. 3 ft. June to August.

Modesto—Dwarf and slow grower. Velvety red. Unusual color, very scarce. 2 ft. July-August. \$1.00.

Mrs. W. H. Wyman—Light canary yellow. Open trumper type. 3 to 3½ ft. July-August.

My Destinv—Bright yellow. Good grower. 30 in. June and July. \$1.00.

Ochrallucca—Lemon yellow flowers, that are more trumpet shaped than most, closing up at night 3 ft. Late July.

Ophir—An old timer that is still one of the good ones. Dominates July in spite of extreme heat or dry weather. Large, 5 in. wide, tall, crisp, bold, heavy textured; waxy golden yellow in 6 in. long. recurved trumpet form on strong and weatherproof scapes. The inside of a fresh bloom is a refectioned haze of deep gold. Good evenings. Exceptionally fragrant. 4½ ft. Midseason. \$1.00 each.

Persian Princess—The petals are deep velvety red with a heavy overflush of purple, the sepals are a shade lighter, but the same depth of color. 40 in. Early midseason. \$1.25.

Pink Charm—3 to 3½ ft. June. Large size blooms, beautifully recurving, dusky rose-pink shading to rose red. \$3.00 each.

Princess—Large flowered, clear and evenly toned lemon yellow, reversed green gold. Spread of flower, 5 in. Buds are large, green gold. Superb form, substance, and behavior. Erect and much branched. Good evenings and at night since new blooms open while old ones close. Exceptionally fragrant. 2½ ft. July. \$2.00.

Purple Waters—Strong wine purple, full open flowers. Long season of blooms. A dandy. 36 in. Early midseason. \$1.25

Queen of May—Taller than most early varieties. Pale apricot orange. A very prolific bloomer. 30 in. \$1.00.

Radiant—3 ft. July and August. Clear fine orange of good quality and texture.



Rajah—Large gayly colored English red with conspicuous eyes zones as in Mikado. Throat is pale orange with greenish tinge. One of the longest blooming season, most flowers and best garden show of any Day Lily. Good evenings. 3½ ft. July to late August. \$1.25.

Red Hybrid—2 ft. July. A selection of one of the Leonian Hybrids that we think is one of the best reds. \$3.00.

Rose Beauty—2 ft. July. One of those new rose pinks A beauty. \$2.50.

Rose Parade—Strong grower. Bright old rose. Good propagator. Very attractive. 3 ft. June and July. \$2.00

Royal Ruby—36 in. Near crimson red, medium size florets. Very popular. \$2.50

Royalty—35 in. A fine open red with a glossy sheen. \$1.00.

J. T. Russell—3 ft. June. Blooms are 6 inches across. Petals of lemon-yellow with deep cinnamon-red mark on each one; sepals clear lemon. \$2.50.

Russell Minuet—Dwarf rich rose, yellow stripe. 20-24 in. \$1.50

Sachem—3½ ft. July. Exceptionally fine. Deep reddish brown medium size flowers. Throat is light orange. \$1.00.

Serenade—3 ft. July. Very light pastel shades of yellow and pink. Medium large flowers on tall, stiff stems. 75c.

Sirius—Rich orange with tamed eye zone. Petals charmingly crinkled. Very fragrant. 3 ft. July.

Soudan—Medium large, 4 in., empire yellow flowers. Very full and recurved lily type, with broad, pleasingly creped and crinkled petals and sepals. Fragrant. Good evenings. 36 in. Midseason. 75c.

Springbrook Red—A new introduction of Springbrook gardens of Mentor, Ohio. A bright attractive red with some depth. 36 in. Midseason. \$2.00.

Sunny West—Immense soft canary yellow flowers of uniform color throughout. One of the finest day lilies. Fragrant. 4 ft. Medium late. \$1.25.

Sweetbriar—Lustrous flower, larger in size and much better formed and branched than Fulva Rosa. The flesh pink petals and sepals are well reflexed, showing a delicate yellow cup. 40 in. Midseason. \$1.00.

Theron—Large, full, dark mahogany-red. Throat deep gold, producing a striking purple and gold effect. 30 in. Midseason. \$1.00.

Thunbergii—Lemon yellow. 4 ft. July-August

Venice—Glowing deep red. Midseason. About 3 ft. Don't pass up this red. \$1.75.

Vulcan—Even toned, light velvety maroon with faint golden brown mid-rib; throat of the medium large (4 in.) flower is golden orange. A very showy variety of deepest tone. 30 in. Midseason. \$1.25.

Wabash—Brighter red than Venice. Good bloomer. July. 3 ft. 75c.

Witchita—Burnt sienna, produced by faint red tints over greenish yellow. Very unusual and attractive form and color. 2-2½ ft. July.

HEMEROCALLIS COLLECTIONS

COLLECTION NO. 1

On each of the following: Boutonniere, Lena Hoover, Mikado, Sirius, Witchita. A \$3. value for \$1.95.

COLLECTION NO. 2

One each of the following: August Pioneer, Buck-eye, Leonian Hybrids, Modesto, Ochralucca. A \$3.90 value for \$2.95.

COLLECTION NO. 3

One each of the following: Bagdad, Belle of Natchez, Cinnebar, Golconda, Imperaton. A \$3.50 value for \$2.79.

COLLECTION NO. 4

One of each of the following: My Destiny, Sweetbriar, Wabash, Boutonniere, Lena Hoover; Leonian Hybrid, Mikado, Modesto, Ochralucca, Sirius. A \$7.25 value for only \$6.00.

COLLECTION NO. 5

One of each of the following: Bicolor, D. D. Wyman, George Yeld, Gracily, Kokomo, May Sadler. A \$4.75 value for \$3.95.

COLLECTION NO. 6

One each of the following: Middendorfi, Persian Princess, Radiant, Red Hybrid, Rose Parade. A \$7.00 value for \$6.25.

COLLECTION NO. 7

One each of the following: Springbrook Red, Rose Parade, Red Hybrid, Pink Charm, Honey Red Head. A \$12.50 value for \$11.00.

COLLECTION NO. 8

One each of the following: Flaming Sword, Mikado, George Yeld, Hyperion, Imperator, Cinnebar, Lena Hoover; Modesto, Rajah, Red Hybrid — 10 in all. A \$11.40 value for \$10.00.

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